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IN RE: DOCKET NO. 2006-89-G – Application of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. to Modify Tariffs and Service Regulations

Dear Mr. Tyler:

The Application which you filed on behalf of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. has been duly received and assigned Docket No. 2006-89-G.

In order to proceed with the processing of this Docket, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

Publish, at your own expense, on or before **April 20, 2006**, the enclosed Notice, in newspapers of general circulation, in the affected areas, one time and provide the undersigned Proof of Publication on or before **May 11, 2006**.

Failure to comply with the above on or before the dates indicated may result in the **DISMISSAL** of your pleading.

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In the meantime, should you require additional information, please advise.

Sincerely yours,

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